

GOVERNMENT NOTICES.

NOTICE UNDER REAL PROPERTY ACT.—Application having been made to bring the Land in question under the provisions of the Real Property Act, a Certificate of Interlocutory Title will issue, unless Cauget be lodged in form B of the said Act or before the date opposite each case respectively.

Property.

No. 2839. County of Pittwater, 168 acres, at the junction of Kurnell and Turramurra Creek, granted to George Cox, Esq. No. 2986. Village of Marriwa, county of Brisbane, 1 acre; Allotments 8 and 17, originally granted to Hugh Sweny. No. 3004. W. H. Horrocks, City of Sydney, 161 parcels, comprising, at the intersection of William and Brougham-streets; bounded on the west by Brougham-street 92 feet 6 inches; north by the Brown-street 32 feet 6 inches; east by the property of J. Hudson's 92 feet 6 inches; and south by William-street 30 feet 6 inches.—being a part of Dowling's grant of 3 acres 2 rods 2 perches. No. 3110. Town of Paddington, Macleay River, 1 acre; Lots 2 and 3 of section 13, having a frontage of 2 chains to Edgar-street by a depth of 5 chains.

Diagrams delineating these lands may be inspected at the Registrar-General's Office, in Elizabeth-street, Sydney. Dated this 13th day of June, 1872, at the Registrar-General's Office, Sydney.

E. G. WARD, Registrar-General.

SPECIAL NOTICE UNDER REAL PROPERTY ACT.—Application having been made, under section 79 of the Real Property Act, by the undermentioned, to be registered as "Proprietor by Transferee" of the Land hereunder described, such application will be complied with, and a Certificate of Title issued in accordance therewith, unless Cauget be lodged on or before the date hereunder notified.

Property.

No. 2811. 67 acres 2 rods 29 perches, county of Sydney, parish of Arncliffe, being portions Nos. 53 and 64.

A diagram delineating this land may be inspected at the Registrar-General's Office, in Elizabeth-street, Sydney. Dated this 16th day of May, 1872, at the Registrar-General's Office, Sydney.

E. G. WARD, Registrar-General.

Police Department, Inspector-General's Office, Sydney, 1st June, 1872.

CONVEYANCE OF GOLD AND ESCORT.

TENDERS will be received at the Office of the Inspector-General of Police, until noon of WEDNESDAY, the 3rd July, 1872, for the conveyance of treasure and Escort on the H.M.S., and subject to the conditions undermentioned:—

1. Conveyance to be provided once every four weeks from Goldsmiths' to the Mint.
2. Dittos from Goldsmiths' to Yarraville.
3. Dittos from Yarraville to Bathurst.
4. Dittos from Orange to Bathurst.
5. Dittos fortnightly from Orange, via Mudgee, Hay, graves, Lumberhouse, and Sofia to Bathurst.

Conditions.

The conveyances will be made in covered vehicles under the control of the Government, and for Service No. 5, a vehicle specially constructed and suitable for the service on that road, to be provided.

The luggage of the guard or parcels conveyed not to exceed £1000.

The service vehicles, horses, wagons, and equipment on such days and hours, and to travel such stages, and occupy the periods on the journey as may be fixed by the Government.

The escort only to travel by daylight, and at a rate not exceeding five miles per hour.

The cost of forming the guard not to exceed three, to be covered together with all bills containing gold and other treasure.

The coaches in the down journey not to carry passengers without special permission in each instance, and to be under the control of the escort conductor; and for service No. 5, not to carry passengers.

Upon the return escort the conductor to have the right of selecting the seats in the coach to be occupied by the escort.

Should passengers by coach on any of the lines not be required for the full number of carriages, then as the guard, either tickets for coach passage to be used for other purposes are to be given by the contractors, or their account, reduced by the current rates for such fares.

The contract to be from forth the 1st day of August, 1872, for one year, and thereafter until terminated by three months' notice, or by either party.

The tenderer must have the signature of two respectable and solvent persons, engaging to enter into a bond, with the contractor, in the sum of £1000, for securing the due performance of the contract, and every stipulation therein provided for each bond to be executed and delivered at the time of the tender, and the same to be paid into the third part of the amount of the moneys in the GOVERNMENT GAZETTE of the tender having been accepted.

Any further information may be obtained from the Inspector-General of Police, or the Superintendents of Police at Goulburn and Bathurst.

The Government does not bind itself to accept the lowest, or any tender.

JNO. MURKIN, Inspector-General of Police.

ROYAL MINT, Sydney, 16th May, 1872.

HIS Excellency the Administrator of the Government having approved of the discontinuance of Mineral Assaying and the discontinuance of Coal Crushing at the Mint, the public are informed that Mineral Assays and Coal Crushing will not be undertaken at the Mint after the 30th JUNE next.

C. HLOUBY, Deputy-Master.

General Post Office, Sydney, 12th June, 1872.

REDUCED POSTAGE TO BERMUDA.—It is hereby notified that the Postage Rate on Letters forwarded from the Office of the Postmaster General, addressed to Bermuda, has been reduced from one shilling and five pence to one shilling and one-half.

G. H. A. LLOYD.

General Post Office, Sydney, 14th June, 1872.

CONVEYANCE OF MAILS.—TENDERS for the conveyance of the undermentioned Mails are invited.

For full particulars see GOVERNMENT GAZETTE, a file of which is kept at every Post-office in the colony. No tender will be considered unless the terms of the notice published in the GAZETTE be strictly complied with.

Date to which tenders can be received at this Office.

Conveyance of Mails to and from.

Street, Langworthy's, Gloucester and Tiverton, twice a week.

G. H. A. LLOYD.

Department of Public Works, June 8, 1872.

TENDERS FOR PUBLIC WORKS.—SUPPLIES.—Tenders are invited for the following Public Works and Supplies. For full particulars see GOVERNMENT GAZETTE, a file of which is kept at every Post-office in the colony.

Tenders will be received at the time when the Tenders are opened, and the lowest of the successful tender will be announced, if possible, before the date of the Board have terminated.

No tender will be taken into consideration unless the terms of the notice are strictly complied with.

The Government does not bind itself to accept the lowest, or any tender.

Nature of Works and Supplies.

Great Northern Road, 2nd District, Contract 1-2. Constructing Road Summit of Moombie, Timber for Edna Wharf. New Buckets for Dredge Vulcan. Telegraph Wire from Bathurst to Hill End. Landing BM.—Bridge, Ferries, &c.

Contract 11-12. Major Road, Black-hill's Bay.—Telephones.

Supply 3 Derricks, Cranes, warranted to lift 10 tons each, to be delivered at the Ballina Station, Redfern.

Road Construction on Road Campbellton to the Harbour, and on Road Campbellton, near Penrith 6-72: 1st District, Great Western Road.

Fencing, land, Harbour Defence, Brody's Head. Erection of Court-house, Young.

Erection of Post and Telegraph Office, Hill End.

Repair to Bark Huts Bridge, Great Western Road.

Erection of a Court and Watch House, at Wilcannia.

HENRY PARKER.

WANTED, to purchase on the Southern or Western Railways, a PROPERTY of a few thousand acres, with good residence and improvements. Address A. E. I., Box 293, with full particulars.

THE SYDNEY MORNING HERALD, SATURDAY, JUNE 15, 1872.

NOTICE.

THE SHARE LIST of the COMPANY CLOSES THIS DAY, the 15th instant.

1. HATFIELD and MACKENZIE.

2. BUSINESS CARDS.

3. CAED.—French Grove, Bow, Hastings, and Mercury.

4. D. & S. H. LEWIS.

5. SAMUEL MATTHEWS.

6. GEORGE STENING.

7. SARAH HALE.

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AMUSEMENTS.

VICTORIA THEATRE.

Stage Manager Mr. J. H. Rainford.
Scenic Artist Mr. Wilson.Triumphant reception
of the
LOCAL BURLESQUE,
The greatest success achieved by any
Curtain Raiser.

Enthusiastic calls between the acts, and every manifestation of undivided delight and approbation on the part of the large audience.

TO-NIGHT, Saturday,
THE TICHBORNE CASE,
or the
WAGGA WAGGA MYSTERY,
will be repeated.Tremendous Hit by
Mr. CHARLES YOUNG, as
Sir ROGER.Fee Miss MAGGIE OLIVER as
MARY ANNE.FIFTY SONGS and
DANCES
introduced.The fact is now admitted that it is needless to import
second-hand trowsers when such sparkling travesties as
the
TICHBORNE BURLESQUE
can be produced in the colonies.Every one should see the
TRIAL SCENE and DENOUEMENT,
SIR ROGER IN NEWCASTLE.To conclude with the sensational Drama, in three acts, entitled
JOCOBISSE, THE JUGGLER.Count de Lepierre Mr. J. J. Welch
Le Ruyer, his nephew Mr. James H. Rainford
Adolph de Merino, attached to the Neapolitan Embassy ..Mr. G. R. McIlvane
Jacques, the Juggler Mr. W. Andrews
The Tomahawk, his Jack-pudding Mr. C. Young
Angloise, servant to the Count Mr. J. Sweeny

Presents, male and female.

Countess de Lepierre Miss Matilda
Jule, daughter of the Juggler Miss Maggie Oliver.THIS SATURDAY AFTERNOON,
at the
VICTORIA THEATRE,
the FIJIAN CHIMPS
will go through their various
WAB DANCES AND SONGS.A MUSUM,
consisting of War Implements, Domestic Utensils, and
Curiosities will be exhibited, and various uses explained
by Mr. J. H. RAINFORD.The manners and customs of a savage people will be
well illustrated, but in the whole entertainment nothing
objectionable will be introduced. The whole will show
that the savagery of savagery, the barbarity of the barbarians
has accomplished in bringing hordes of savages and
cannibals into a state of civilization. This will be the
LAST PERFORMANCE
of the
TOURNEE IN SYDNEY.THE FIJIAN MODE OF PRODUCING FIRE
will be shown.The DEATH "LALI" DRUM,
once the dread of billets, now sounded only to
announce Public Worship.

REMEMBER!—THE LAST PERFORMANCE.

Two concert rooms erected for this occasion.

Doors open at 3 p.m.

Admission, 1s. Children, 6d.

GREAT AMERICAN CIRCUS.
Proprietors, Messrs. Bird and Taylor.

The only LEGITIMATE CIRCUS in Australia.

Glorious success of this Splendid Troupe.

The best Entertainment ever offered to the Sydney Public.

Marque thoroughly waterproof.

Now and Daring Acts of Horsemanship TO-NIGHT.

A GRAND PROGRAMME
TO-NIGHT, JUNE 15.

Come Early to secure your seats.

Dress Circle will strictly select.

Ushers will be in attendance, and every convenience will be shown to the public.

Doors open at half-past 7, performance to commence at 8 p.m.

Prices of Admission: Pit, 1s; stalls, 2s; dress circle, 3s.

Children half-pence.

GRAND FASHIONABLE
JUVENILE MUSICAL PERFORMANCE,
THIS SATURDAY, June 15.

A select programme arranged, embracing Sensational and exciting Equestrian, Acrobatic, and Gymnastic, &c. &c. Dances, &c., and a brilliant performance of the latest Ballets. Children half price to 1s of the price of admission in consequence of the hundreds unable to gain admission last Saturday afternoon, the Dress Circle will be made larger, for this occasion.

Fees can be tendered on application to the Agent at the Circus between the hours of 11 a.m. and 3 p.m.

First appearance of the Great Spanish horseman,

SIGNOR RAFFAELE,

On MONDAY NIGHT, June 17.

Mr. BLOW, Agent.

SCHOOL OF ARTS.

CROWDED NIGHTLY.

Mr. ENDERBURY JACKSON, who in May, 1868, received the honour of having presented to both Houses of Parliament, by command of His Most Excellent Majesty, a Bill for the abolition of his services in the Colonies, in favour of the cultivation and practice of music throughout Great Britain, has announced that his

LONDON STAR COMIQUE COMBINATION will appear in the above-named Hall on the evening of SATURDAY, June 15,

and usual following evenings.

Mr. HARRY RICKARDS, the greatest comic singer in the world, who has had the honour of appearing three times before H.R.H. the Prince of Wales, suite.

Miss CARRIE RICKARDS, Burlesque.

Mr. RICHARD RAMSDEN, Burlesque.

Mr. LIZZIE WATSON, Great Britain's Star Burlesque; will appear under the

FOURTH CHANGE OF PROGRAMME.

PART I.—"The Richard" "Quadrille's"

Song—"The Purple Mulberry"—Mr. R. RAMSDEN

Song—"The Fish, and Entrees"—Mr. HARRY RICKARDS

Song—"The Girl of the Period"—Miss LIZZIE WATSON.

Great Impression—"Carrot Hair"—Mr. HARRY RICKARDS.

Song—"The Mad Butcher"—Mr. HARRY RICKARDS.

Song—"The Grand Parade"—Miss LIZZIE WATSON.

ENTERTAINMENT COMIQUE.

Astley's—Miss CARRIE RICKARDS

Astley's—Mr. HARRY RICKARDS

Astley's—Mr. RICHARD RAMSDEN

Astley's—Mr. LIZZIE WATSON.

Ten minutes interlude.

Galler—"The Cho" (com ed by Howard H. Smith)—

Held—"All that glitters is not Gold"—Mr. R. RAMSDEN

Chaser—Impression—"The Mad Butcher"—Mr. HARRY RICKARDS.

Song—"I'm the Grand Parade"—Miss LIZZIE WATSON.

INTERMENT COMIQUE.

THE FLOWERS:—A TRIP TO GALAIS.

Astley's—Le Coq—Jones—Miss CARRIE RICKARDS

Astley's—De Cooy—Jones—Mr. HARRY RICKARDS

Astley's—Astley's—Introducing the National War Songs,

"The Watch on the Rhine," "The Marsailles,"

"The Star-Spangled Banner," "We've swept

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THE SYDNEY
MONTHLY OVERLAND
MAIL.

PER MAIL STEAMER NUBIA.

POLITICAL.

WHEN the Baroda left last month both Houses of the Legislature had adjourned—the Assembly until the 11th, and the Council to the 14th June. The new Ministers were about to appeal to their constituents for re-election. They have since been returned, though not without opposition in the case of the Premier, Mr. Parkes, and of Mr. G. A. Lloyd, Postmaster-General. By these elections several weeks have been lost at a time when public business is greatly in arrear. There is a growing opinion that, in the present day, there is no necessity for such a practice. Our Constitution Act, however, provides that if any member of the Assembly shall accept of any office of profit from the Crown, during pleasure or for a term of years, his election shall be thereupon void and a new writ shall forthwith issue for a new election. With one exception, the Ministerial offices are offices of profit, and, therefore, as the law now stands, new elections were inevitable. When an attempt shall be made to amend the Constitution Act, that, and two or three other matters, will claim attention with a view to reform.

The candidate brought out to contest the electorate of East Sydney in opposition to Mr. Parkes was Mr. James Jones. There was very little excitement over the election. At the close it was found that Mr. Parkes had polled 2636, and his opponent only 1216. Mr. George A. Lloyd was supported at Newcastle by Mr. McQuair and, after a very lively contest, secured his seat by a trifling majority than that given to him in favour of the general election a few months ago. It is not unusual to oppose the re-election of candidates who have accepted office, and such opposition is rarely successful when attempted.

A few days ago, Mr. Saul Samuel, Vice-President of the Executive Council, was appointed a member of the Legislative Council. His seat in the Assembly thereupon became vacant, not because of any profit attaching to the office (which is an honorary one), but because by the Constitution Act, no person being a member of the Legislative Council is capable of sitting and voting in the Legislative Assembly. For the seat vacated by Mr. Samuel there were two candidates, the Hon. J. B. Wilson, Esq., the late Secretary for Lands, and Mr. George Oakes, who years ago rendered good service in the Legislature. The latter gentleman, who was supported by the friends of the present Ministry, was returned.

When the Ministers met the Assembly on the 11th instant, Mr. Parkes explained the circumstances connected with the formation of his Government. He told the House that he first put himself into communication with the Hon. John Hay, a distinguished member of the Legislative Council, and asked him to accept the office of Vice-President of the Executive Council; but Mr. Hay declined. He then wrote to Mr. W. Forster, who had been entrusted with the task of forming an Administration, and who had not been successful. Mr. Forster replied that he regretted he could not accept the offer. The other offices were offered to, and accepted by, the gentlemen who now compose the Government. Mr. Parkes said, they considered their best course would be to pass the Estimates which ought to have been passed last year, deal with the question of the Border Customs duties, and then adjourn. He promised, these things being arranged, that his Excellency the Governor would call Parliament together to enter upon the session proper to the year, after a recess not longer than ten weeks.

With reference to the intentions of the Ministry in future, Mr. Parkes said, "on the opening of the session proper to the year, at a period not more distant from this time than three months and a few days, we shall be prepared to deal with the great leading questions which invite attention, and in regard to which the Legislature is entitled to expect us to take a definite course. We shall be prepared to take up the present state of the mining laws of the colony, in order to consolidate the law on such principles as will afford the fullest scope for the employment of capital in mining enterprise, and, in our view, conduce most widely to the interests of the public. We shall also be prepared to introduce a Bill to deal with that question in accordance with the views entertained by the members of the Administration; and we shall likewise be ready to take up the question of railway communication. We are in a position to deal with the Civil Service with regard to the long-pending question of superannuation, and also to shadow forth a plan we have in view for the reconstruction of the Civil Service. These questions, with others to which I scarcely need allude, now, we shall be prepared to enter upon, and to take the consequences as Ministers responsible to the Parliament of the country." A profuse discussion followed. It was objected that all new Ministers promise everything and never do anything, but the course taken by the Government is necessary to bring the legislative business into something like regular order.

One of the first things done by the Government of Mr. Parkes was to reopen communication with the Premier of Melbourne in relation to the Border Customs' duties. The Chief Secretary of Victoria (Mr. Duffy), replied: "I do not delay in renewing the offer made by this Government to your predecessor a few months ago, namely, that an account be taken of the imports and exports of dutiable articles to and from each colony across the Murray, during the space of (say) twelve months, by officers of each Government, acting in concert with each other; and that after having, by the test of actual experience, arrived at a reliable basis for negotiating a permanent agreement, such an agreement be entered into between the two colonies for a term of years to be hereafter decided upon." On the 7th instant, Mr. Parkes sent by telegraph the following message: "We propose that an Act be obtained from the Legislature of each colony providing that the Border Customs account be taken under penalties for false information, and empowering the Government to become parties to a convention of free Border intercourse, based upon the returns so obtained. The existing law will be suspended during the period occupied by collecting the returns, on the legal security that the balance proved to be due will be paid at the expiration of such period. It appears to this Government desirable and just in policy that South Australia be invited to become a party to any such Border Customs' convention."

South Australia desires to be a party to any such arrangement for settling the Border Customs' difficulty, and her desire is reciprocated.

A bill has been introduced into the Legislative Assembly "to make provision for free commercial intercourse across the boundary line of the River Murray, and its second reading is ordered for Wednesday next. It provides that a Customs account shall be taken for twelve months without collecting duties, and that the Governments of Victoria and South Australia shall be entitled to appoint officers to take account; that persons making false declarations, or failing to give information shall be liable to penalties. The bill also contains the following clause: 'It shall be lawful for the Government under the seals and seals of the Colonial Secretary, and Colonial Treasurer for the time being to make any agreement or convention, with the Government of Victoria and South Australia, for maintaining free commercial intercourse across the boundary line of the River Murray, and for securing in like manner which would have been obtained by the actual collection of the Customs' duties and wharfage rates, the quarterly payment of a sum of money to be determined principally by

the balance of revenue shown to be due to New South Wales by the account so far as the same shall have been taken as aforesaid. Provided that every such agreement or convention be limited to a period not exceeding five years."

The Government of Victoria is prepared to enter into an arrangement without a special Act, but when an arrangement will be made it is impossible to say, inasmuch as in our Assembly, on the motion for the second reading of the bill, questions are sure to be raised in relation to the necessity for such a measure, and also as to its application to one particular boundary.

The state of things is somewhat changed since the previous negotiations between this colony and Victoria on the same subject. Mr. Duffy, having like Sir James Martin, ceased to be Premier.

On Thursday, the Mr. Parkes proposed Mr. J. F. Burns for the office of Chairman of Committees. Sir James Martin had given notice on the previous day of his intention to substitute the name of Mr. Lackey for that of Mr. Burns, and after debate Mr. Lackey was elected.

Our new Governor, Sir Hercules Robinson, had a very hearty reception on his arrival, and has lost no time in proceeding to make himself acquainted with Sydney and its public institutions. An account of the swearing-in, and of His Excellency's levee will be found in another column. On the 13th instant, in the Legislative Council, an address was carried thanking His Excellency for his message communicating to the House the fact that he had assumed the Government of the colony; and it contained the following passage: "We beg to assure your Excellency that the choice made by the Queen, in filling the high office of her Majesty's representative in this colony, is regarded by us with much satisfaction; and we confidently believe that your Excellency's appointment will tend to strengthen the loyal attachment to her Majesty's throne and person which pervades all classes of the people. We beg your Excellency to accept our cordial congratulations."

MINING SUMMARY.

GOLD.

In former summaries reference has been made to the number of new companies which have been formed during the last few months, for the purpose of working portions of the large extent of auriferous country which this colony possesses. Many of these companies are busy with preliminary operations—such as the erection of machinery, the sinking of shafts, some of them to enormous depths through the hard rock; and it will probably be some weeks or even months before there is any large increase in our gold-fields. Nevertheless there has been already a considerable increase in the export returns as compared with those of the early part of last year. For instance, in May, 1871, the total quantity received per Government escort was 15,812 ounces. Last month's receipts were 35,767 ounces, of which 30,280 were from the Western districts, 4851 from the Southern, and 638 from the Northern, bringing up the aggregate receipts for the past six months to 153,865 ounces, as against 91,352 ounces for the corresponding period of 1871. The excitement respecting the mines continues unabated, although transactions in the share market have not been quite so brisk during the past week or two. The intelligence received from the various gold-fields is of the most gratifying and satisfactory nature; and every country mail brings corroborative tidings to the auriferous wealth of the colony. There have been no large yields to chronicle this month, but we except a trial crushing of stone from the Goulburn Company's reef, Tumut, which yielded forty ounces to the ton. The average yield from the mines already in active operation has been on the whole very encouraging. The interest which is now being taken in the development of the mineral resources of the colony is well founded with some timely and valuable remarks from our experienced geologist, the Rev. W. B. Clarke. In a paper read before the last meeting of the Royal Society, he said: "That gold production is on the increase no one can doubt; and if prospectors will but go out into the districts that abound not far from the vicinity of even employed, new ground will assuredly be found where reefs, as they are called, meet the eye of the traveller at almost every turn, and where there is every legitimate reason to infer that some will be productive. It is not too much to say that no sooner are we off the carboniferous areas, rich in coal and its associated minerals, than we are in a region in which are tracts where gold and copper and lead abound. And passing from the sedimentary to the plutonic rocks, we can discover granite which, however barren externally, are frequently charged with the valuable ore of tin. So that the three great geological divisions of our colony are replete with mineral treasures that are practically inexhaustible. It is, perhaps, difficult to assign any strict measurement in superficial area to the actual amount of land capable of furnishing present proofs of this, because, as we well know, metals are local, and not universal; and if they were not, what would become of our pastoral interests, which, by the blessing of Providence, are just now in as prosperous a condition as our minerals are? During my visits to the different parts of the Western district I not only saw the operations that are going on, but passed over many miles of country in which the rocks that belong to a given area yet remain in their original condition, and will so remain till some fortunate adventurer stumbles by accident on a tangible encouragement. Such information, coming from a gentleman so eminently qualified to express an opinion on the subject, is felt to be in the highest degree encouraging, and will have the effect of stimulating the public to the search for the black oxide of copper very rich. From two blasts two tons of stone were obtained. At the Wellington copper mine the lode has been traced for the distance of five hundred yards. There is a large outcrop of green carbonates and grey ore about eight feet high and four feet wide. Sinking was commenced on the 20th March last; and the shaft is already sunk 55 feet. For the first 40 feet the lode consisted of green carbonates and rich grey ore. The iron pyrites in the bottom of the shaft is about 3 feet 6 inches wide, and is improving as it goes down. The party can raise enough ore in sinking to pay all expenses, and leave a handsome dividend besides. Judging from present appearances this mine is one of the most promising mining properties in New South Wales.

COPPER.

The copper mines of the colony are creating considerable excitement just now. One or two fresh mines have been discovered, and the land taken up with a view to its being worked, whilst the productions from those already established are increasing almost daily. A telegram was received yesterday from the manager of the Diamond copper mine, to the effect that thirty-five fathoms of the lode, from one to two feet wide, had been opened, and that the stuff was being 30 per cent. This information, coupled with the news from England respecting the rise in the price of copper, caused an unlooked-for inquiry for the company's shares. In the prospecting claim of forty acres at the Drake mines, in the Tenterfield district, black oxide of copper is being obtained 5 or 6 inches wide, from a reef about 4 feet wide—12 ounces of which were smelted, and yielded 74 oz. pure copper. This was discovered on the spur of Gerard's Hill, at the head of Sawpit Gully, running north and south. A shaft was sunk up to the depth of 30 feet, and good indications of what was thought to be iron pyrites obtained, but which are now found to be copper pyrites. Before sinking another shaft the gully was prospected, and virgin copper found on the surface. The prospectors then sunk (or traced) and came upon the black oxide of copper very rich. From two blasts two tons of stone were obtained. At the Wellington copper mine the lode has been traced for the distance of five hundred yards. There is a large outcrop of green carbonates and grey ore about eight feet high and four feet wide. Sinking was commenced on the 20th March last; and the shaft is already sunk 55 feet. For the first 40 feet the lode consisted of green carbonates and rich grey ore. The iron pyrites in the bottom of the shaft is about 3 feet 6 inches wide, and is improving as it goes down. The party can raise enough ore in sinking to pay all expenses, and leave a handsome dividend besides. Judging from present appearances this mine is one of the most promising mining properties in New South Wales.

The mining manager of the Cow Flat Copper Mining Company has forwarded a very favourable report respecting the operations on the company's ground. Advice from London state that the whole of the copper from the Cow Flat Mine had been disposed of at £98 per ton. The following certificate of analysis of sample ingot of Australian copper, brand—C.O.W. Copper, 0.977; sulphur, 0.10; iron, 0.10; carbon, 0.03; oxygen, 0.07. Total, 100."

NOTES OF THE MONTH.

From the 17th MAY to 24th MAY.

An excellent model of the Hawkesbury Hill diggings has for some days been on view at the Sydney Exchange.

On the 16th instant, a testimonial was presented to Mr. De Boos, on his retirement from the reporting staff of the *Herald*.

On the 16th instant, the Gulgong coach was upset near Bennett's Farm, at a bridge. Fortunately no one was injured.

It is proposed to effect still further improvements and enlargements at the Sydney Exchange.

The completion of the gashworks and the first illumination of the city of Bathurst by its aid, were celebrated last Tuesday night by a public dinner at the Royal Hotel, Bathurst, given by Mr. Wark, the proprietor.

George Robert Nichols and Alfred Lester, otherwise James Fenwick, were hanged on Monday and Tuesday last, for the murder of William Percy Walker.

They were convicted and sentenced to death. Lester made a statement, tantamount to a confession of his

guilt, but throwing all the blame upon Nichols. Lester admits that they also murdered Bigge, but it is said that the real name of the other is Robert Fitzpatrick. One of his aliases is "Mitchell."

On Monday last, Mr. George Lane, brother to Mr. Lane, ship-chandler, of Newcastle, whilst rowing at Lake Macquarie, accidentally shot himself.

Over £30,000 worth of pure copper has recently been shipped at Port Waratah (Newcastle) for London.

Mrs. Prior and Pears have recently succeeded Mount Lindsey, said to be the highest part of the range, the boundary line between New South Wales and Queensland. Mount Lindsey (hitherto reported to be inaccessible) is 6700 feet above the level of the sea.

A catalogue of the works contained in the Free Public Library has been published. It contains nearly 3000 pages demy octavo, and will be of great service to the numerous readers who will avail themselves of the use of the library.

A report last evening states that the steamer *Clarence*, one of the passengers of the vessel, was killed by a landside accident at Big Hill, near Port Macquarie.

On Sunday last there was a daring case of incendiarism at Waterloo, which is still under investigation.

On Wednesday last, at St. Paul's schoolroom, Redfern, the Rev. Mr. Bode gave an instructive lecture on chemistry.

On Tuesday last, a man named John Metcalf was killed by a landside accident at Warratah.

On Wednesday last, his Excellency and Lady Robinson visited the Sydney University.

On the 13th instant Mr. John Lackey was re-elected Chairman of Committees in the Legislative Assembly.

A vagrant named Mary Anne Cusack died in Darlinghurst gaol, on the 12th instant, of scrofulosity.

The passengers were all saved.

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A Swedish woman, who arrived at Maryborough, by the last immigration ship, gave birth to female infants on the 14th ultimo; all are alive and doing well. A subscription is being raised on behalf of the mother.

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TELEGRAPHIC DESPATCHES.

TELEGRAPHIC SUMMARY FOR ENGLAND.

AUSTRALIAN ASSOCIATED PRESS TELEGRAMS.

ORANGE.

ANOTHER rich copper mine has been discovered seven miles from Orange. The lode is visible on the surface for a hundred yards. A lease has been taken up by Messrs. Torpy and Windred. Fine specimens are on view.

NEWCASTLE.

FRIDAY.
At a meeting of miners, held yesterday evening, at Griffiths' Flat, it was decided to stand out for 6d. per ton wages at each colliery, commencing with Lambton. Other colliers pledged themselves to support the Lambton men in case of a lock-out. Notice to be given to employers on the 24th instant.

WEST MAITLAND.

FRIDAY.
The Maitland Quarter Sessions commenced yesterday, before his Honour Mr. District Court Judge Simpson.

James A. Mithey, charged with forgery, was found guilty, and remanded for sentence. Catherine Ryan was found guilty of larceny, and remanded. William Keith and Herbert Stewart, charged with unlawfully wounding, were acquitted. Robert Smith, charged with mail robbery, was acquitted. James Fogarty, charged with receiving, was found not guilty.

QUARTER SESSIONS, TO-DAY.—George Lonsdale, charged with forgery and uttering, was acquitted; Worthing, charged with forgery, pleaded guilty, and was sentenced to two years' imprisonment; Catherine Ryan was sentenced to six months' imprisonment; Dora Brown and Ann Fogarty, charged with larceny, pleaded guilty, and were sentenced to one month's imprisonment.

BRISBANE.

FRIDAY.
When the House met this afternoon, on Mr. Bell's proposal to go into Committee of Supply, Mr. Griffith made a short speech suggesting that Mr. Palmer and Mr. Lilley should confer together with a view to terminating the deadlock. Mr. Graham followed, approving of the suggestion. After a short debate Mr. Palmer and Mr. Lilley expressed a willingness to meet and see what could be done. The House adjourned about 5 till to-morrow, to learn the result.

Fifty-five bales of wool were recovered from the wreck of the Young Australia yesterday, and brought to Brisbane. The wreck is still holding together. Hands are busy breaking out cargo, but it is too rough to go alongside.

MELBOURNE.

FRIDAY.
Mr. Witt, member for Murray, has resigned his seat in the Legislative Assembly.

Plunkett, another escaped prisoner, has been recaptured.

The sum of £805 has been already subscribed to the Peris Famine Fund, and is to be remitted by this mail.

The estate of the late John Moffitt has been assessed as liable to probate duty to the extent of £10,700.

The Hon. William Frazer has been appointed Commissioner for Public Works, and is to represent the Government in the Council.

Mr. Bruce, the New South Wales chief inspector of stock, accompanied the Foot-and-Mouth Disease Commission, to-day, to the infected farm.

A prospectus of a Bendigo Banking Company (capital £500,000, in £10 shares,) has been issued.

Business is dull, and limited mostly to trade sales. Wheat is in active demand, sugars are very firm.

SALVED.—The Macedon (s.).

ARRIVED.—You Yangs (s.), and City of Adelaide (s.).

QUEENSCLIFF.

FRIDAY.
ARRIVED.—Springbok, barque, from Newcastle; Coorong, from Adelaide.

SALVED.—Brig. Magpie, and barque Suffolk, for Newcastle; Rangatira (s.), for Adelaide; and at 4, Macedon (s.).

ADELAIDE.

FRIDAY.
Mr. Connor has given notice that he will move that an inspection fee be imposed of 4d. per head on sheep, and 2s. per head on cattle, coming here from Sydney.

The Craigie Ellachie, with a cargo of sugar from Mauritius, has arrived, and been ordered to Melbourne.

Prime sample of wheat sold at 6s., inferior at 10d. Flour is quiet, at £13 to £14 5s.

SYDNEY BRANCH ROYAL MINT.

The following despatch respecting weight and fineness of gold coins struck at the Sydney Mint was presented to the House of Parliament.

The Secretary of State to the Colonies to Lord Balfour, Downing-street, March 6, 1872.

My Lord,—I transmit to your Lordship a copy of a Report, and of its enclosure, received through the Lords Commissioners of the Treasury from the Master of the Mint respecting the weight and fineness of gold coins struck at the Sydney Branch of the Royal Mint during the six months ended the 30th June, 1871.

I have, &c., KIMBERLEY.

[Enclosure.]

Mr. Freemantle to the Secretary to the Treasury, Royal Mint, 2nd February, 1872.

Sir—I have the honour to acquaint you, for the information of the Lords Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury, that the following returns have been duly transmitted by the Deputy Master of the Royal Mint, in conformity with the Order in Council of the 15th March, 1853.

Six monthly returns, showing: (1) the amount of bullion received at the Sydney Branch of the Royal Mint, from January to June, 1871; and (2) the amount of coin issued to the public during the same period, viz.:—

Overseas.

In January 57,777 62 In April 70,370 21 March 54,447 00 April 65,450 82

Amount charged for coining, 2d. per ounce, included. Two returns of waste in coining gold, for the quarters ending 1st March and 30th June, 1871.

I have the honour to request you to submit to their Lordships the following returns, showing the weight and fineness of the gold coins produced at the Sydney Mint, from January to June, 1871, such reports being based on the extracts of the 172 reports transmitted by the Deputy Master of the Royal Mint, in accordance with the provisions of His Majesty's Order in Council above referred to.

A copy of the report has been forwarded, as usual, to the Deputy Master at Sydney.

I have, &c., C. W. FREEMANTLE.

[Sub-enclosure.]

Thirty-seventh report, addressed to the Lords Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury, on the weight and fineness of gold coins struck at the Sydney Branch of the Royal Mint, transmitted by the Deputy Master for examination, in accordance with the provisions of His Majesty's Order in Council of 19th August, 1853.

Pieces taken without preference, by the Colonial Treasurer, at the delivery of the Sydney Mint.—Quarter sovereign, 1871, 145 sovereigns; weight, 37 240 oz., average of a piece, 100 000 oz.; average proportion of gold in 100 000 oz., 91 953 100; standard weight, 100 000 oz., 101 733. The standard weight of a sovereign is 92 562 000 oz., and the standard fineness 918-87 in 1000.

C. W. FREEMANTLE, Deputy Master and Comptroller, Royal Mint, 22nd February, 1872.

[Sub-enclosure.]

ABSTRACT OF SALES BY AUCTION, THIS DAY.

A. MOORE AND CO.—At their Mart, at 11, Clothing, Drapery, Ladies' Jewellery, &c.

C. ABDALLA.—At his Mart, at 11, Watches, &c.

BEADLEY, NIXON, AND LANE.—At the Australian Auction Rooms, at 11, Household Furniture, Piano-fortes, Sewing-Machine, Oil Paintings, &c.

S. WOOLLEY.—At his Yards, Horses, &c.

THE WATER COMMISSIONERS recommended that provi-

CITY WATER SUPPLY.

CITY Engineer's second Report to the Municipal Council of Sydney on the capabilities of the Botany water-supply.

CITY Engineer's third Report, 8th June, 1872.

Gentlemen.—I have the honor to further report upon the investigations made, and tests applied, to ascertain the capabilities of the water-supply which supplies the city with water.

After my former report, the Council sanctioned the proposal that the sum of £10,000 should be expended in testing the capabilities of tube wells sunk in the sand. In accordance with this resolution, I at once proceeded to carry it into effect, and have had a cast iron cylinder of 6 feet, diameter, and 44 feet long, sunk to a depth of 18 feet below the surface, and to a total depth of 34 1/2 feet 6 inches below the water-level, or 88 feet 2 inches below surface of ground, close to the old engine house at Leichhardt Swamp.

As we met with so many difficulties in sinking this tube, and the delays were so frequent and protracted, I think it advisable to enter more fully into the details of the experiments made that would have otherwise been necessary.

The sand pump which I had made in Sydney did its work most effectively, and the cylinder sank as easily as it had in case of stone.

The original intention was to sink the tube to a depth of 60 feet, and when this was done the sand pump was put in and got to work, but it was found that the water was so muddy and such a large amount of sand was removed from the bottom of the cylinder that it could not be pumped out, and the cylinder had to be withdrawn.

As the sand pump had no effect on it, and we had to pump the water out of the cylinder, it was decided to sink the tube to a depth of 30 feet; and when this was done the sand pump had no effect on it, and we had to pump the water out of the cylinder.

As the sand pump which I had made in Sydney did its work most effectively, and the cylinder sank as easily as it had in case of stone.

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The proprietors of this Company are prepared to offer advances on the value of any merchandise, up to £1000, or to CHINESE TRADE, or on any instrument of DEBT, either Fixed or Floating, Bills of LADING, BILLS OF EXCHANGE, CERTIFICATES, SHARES, INSURANCE POLICIES, or any other tangible security.

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MONEY ADVANCED upon PERSONAL OR OTHER SECURITY, repayable by WEEKLY, MONTHLY, or QUARTERLY INSTALMENTS.

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LOANS can be obtained for any period, and RE-NEWALS arranged for if required.

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LOANS can also be procured for any period, and renewals arranged for if required.

ADVANCES made upon personal security, mortgage, debentures, bonds, certificates, stocks and shares, life assurance policies, or any other tangible security.

LEAGUES, REQUESTS, and REVERENDARY INTERESTS, either in the colonies, Great Britain, or elsewhere, may be advanced upon.

GOOD TRADE DEBT DISCOUNTED at slight advance upon BANK RATES.

ALL transactions held strictly confidential.

NO BILLS REDISCOUNTED.

Every facility given to borrowers, and advances made with a view to their application, will be given.

Form and all information can be obtained conveniently at the Company's Office, Hours, 9 to 6, Saturday, 9 to 1.

EIGAR RAY, Manager.

MONEY. **M**ONEY. **M**ONEY.

LONDON LOAN AND DISCOUNT SOCIETY, 125, Elizabeth-street, South, next St. James's School, First Floor.

THIS SOCIETY is established to assist tradesmen and others, on the following terms:—Money advanced in sums varying from £200 to £1000 on security of two responsible persons, to be repaid by weekly instalments of £1 in the power of the Society of obtaining £25 receive 40/6 per cent.

The advances are to be repaid within twenty-four hours if the securities are approved of.

AN ARRANGEMENT can be made for MONTHLY or QUARTERLY payments.

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ADVANCES MADE upon mortgage, deposit of seeds, (freehold or leasehold), merchandise, bonded certificates, stock and shares, Assurance Policies, or any other tangible security.

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£6000 TO BE LENT in sums of £1000 and upwards, on town and country properties at current rates of interest. Apply to W. W. BILLIARD, Solicitor, 32, Hunter-street.

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L. HINNEMOOR, 292, Castlereagh-st., near Park-st.

£8000 TO LEND, on freehold property.

Stonehouse and Harey, Hunter-street.

£100 TO £1000 to Lend, Freshfield Property, C. H. Long, broker, 61, Elizabeth-street.

MONEY TO LEND.—The Trustees of the Savings Bank are prepared to lend Money at 6 per cent on mortgage of approved property.

G. O. ALLAN, Managing Trustee.

MONEY TO any amount on a cheque, plate, diamonds, jewelry, cash, machine-tools, and all kinds of portable property, at a low rate of interest.

L. BENJAMIN, 513, George-street.

Loans on MORTGAGE.

THE AUSTRALIAN MUTUAL PROVIDENT SOCIETY is prepared to lend Money on mortgage of approved freehold security, repayable in conformity with the following:

TABLE F.

Installments required to repay £100, with interest.

How payable. In 8 years. In 6 years. In 7 years.

Monthly .. £3 1 9 £1 19 7 £1 10 2

Quarterly 9 3 5 10 5 10 11

Half-yearly 18 4 12 0 6 9 2

N.B.—For details of advances on ordinary fixed mortgage will also receive special consideration.

By order of the Board.

ALEXANDER J. RALSTON, General Secretary.

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GANS ON MORTGAGE.

The PERMANENT MUTUAL BENEFIT BUILDING AND INVESTMENT SOCIETY is prepared to lend Money on the security of which it is prepared to make advances on freehold or leasehold properties, in which, by easy payments, the mortgage may be liquidated within any period the borrower may elect.

Advances may be extented without any unnecessary delay, and will be given to the applicant having previously paid in the Society.

Terms and full particulars may be obtained on application at the Offices, 306, George-street.

RANDOLPH NOTT, Secretary.

£10,000 TURKS FOR SALE, J. MULLENS, 131, Pitt-street.

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SHARES and DEBENTURES of every description procured and disposed of by W. EATON, Graham-street.

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C. A. WILLIAMSON, MINING MANAGER, and General Agent, Hill End.

SHARES—Krohnmann, Bevers and Holtermann, wanted to buy, 19, Castor, 191, Castlereagh-street.

SEVERAL SUMS FOR INVESTMENT. Apply P. J. HOURIGAN, Solicitor, 129, King-street.

SHARES for SALE, by the undersigned.

Australian Joint Stock Bank, Bank of New South Wales.

Bank of New Zealand.

Peak Hill Copper.

No manby Copper.

Boulbonda Copper.

Phoenix Copper.

Bullion Tin (paid up and contributing).

Marlborough Tin (paid up).

J. MULLENS, 131, Pitt-street.

FOR SALE—COBRA COPPER MINING COMPANY (Ltd.).—The undersigned has 6 of the original 500 SHARES for SALE. The present capital of the Company is £200,000, and each original share represents £1000, as per agreement.

N.B.—HENRY L. WEST and CO. are not members of the "Shareholders' Association."

MACKENZIE and C. A. P. E., Accountants, Average Sisters, Trade Assessors, Financial Experts, Agents, 61, Pitt-street, Sydney.

DENBROOK ALFRED CO. MINING CO. next "Cormans" and "Golden Bee" Unlisted shares can be obtained at J. T. HOBBS, 359, George-street; or H. LOVETT and CO, 168, Pitt-street.

THE SHARE LIST of BRAND and FLETCHER'S rich claim will be closed early in July.

The property of this claim eclipses all others, since, with the exception of THOMAS ALEXANDER, it contains Krohnmann, Bevers and Holtermann's, and the Old and New England, St. Lucia's, and Brand and Fletch's rich veins.

M. D. H. Sturman, of Hill End, states that FIFTY-FOUR MEN could be PROFITABLY EMPLOYED on this lease, and that with ONE MONTH'S vigorous work a very rich claim could be obtained, there being several tons of fine stone.

SEVEN CRUSHINGS have been had from SEVEN DIFFERENT PARTS of this lease, the stone being averaging 20 TUNCES to the ton, while most of the rich claim has 100 TUNCES to the ton, and the depth from which this stone was obtained is 100 feet.

GEAR-FUXTON, next to Lord Nelson, Quartz River.

This is a 10 acre lease, held by Gear, and partly sinking shaft, down 60 feet, with vein about 2 feet thick, and raised gold through the stone; about 20 tons up for the first month, and expect 100 tons to the ton sinking on the same vein as the Lord Nelson, and the vein is 100 feet on the south side.

GEAR-FUXTON, 10 acres lease, held by Gear, and expect 100 tons to the ton, and the depth from which this stone was obtained is 100 feet.

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AUCTION SALES.

INDIARUBBER TUBING
SHEET KURSE;
MACHINE BEARINGS.

CHAS. MOORE and CO. are instructed to sell by auction, at their Sale Rooms, Pitt-street, on TUESDAY next, 18th instant, at 11 o'clock, 2 cases, just landed ex-nos. Duties, at 11 o'clock.

L.R. tubing, size 1/2 in., 1/4 in., 1/8 in., 1/16 in., 1/32 in., 1/64 in., 1/128 in., 1/256 in., 1/512 in., 1/1024 in., 1/2048 in., 1/4096 in., 1/8192 in., 1/16384 in., 1/32768 in., 1/65536 in., 1/131072 in., 1/262144 in., 1/524288 in., 1/1048576 in., 1/2097152 in., 1/4194304 in., 1/8388608 in., 1/16777216 in., 1/33554432 in., 1/67108864 in., 1/134217728 in., 1/268435456 in., 1/536870912 in., 1/107374184 in., 1/214748368 in., 1/429496736 in., 1/858993472 in., 1/171798688 in., 1/343597376 in., 1/687194752 in., 1/137438950 in., 1/274877800 in., 1/549755600 in., 1/1099511200 in., 1/2198022400 in., 1/4396044800 in., 1/8792089600 in., 1/17584179200 in., 1/35168358400 in., 1/70336716800 in., 1/140673432000 in., 1/281346864000 in., 1/562693728000 in., 1/1125387456000 in., 1/2250774912000 in., 1/4501549824000 in., 1/9003099648000 in., 1/18006199296000 in., 1/36012398592000 in., 1/72024797184000 in., 1/14404959436000 in., 1/28809918872000 in., 1/57619837744000 in., 1/115239675488000 in., 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